MYSORE ACT No. XV OF 1951.

THE MYSORE RESTRICTION OF MEETINGS NEAR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ACT, 1951.

(Received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore on the 25th day of April 1951.)

An Act to provide for restriction of meetings, assemblies and processions near the State Legislative Assembly.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient for the undisturbed conduct of business of the State Legislative Assembly to restrict meetings, assemblies and processions of persons near the place of meeting of the Legislative Assembly;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Mysore Restriction of Meetings near the Legislative Assembly Act, 1951.

(2) It extends to the [1][whole of the State of Mysore except Bellary District.]

(3) It shall come into force at once.

Restriction on meetings, assemblies and processions near place of Legislative Assembly sessions.

2. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in any law for the time being in force, on any day on which the State Legislative Assembly meets, no person shall, convene, or give any notice for convening, or take part in, any meeting, assembly or procession consisting of fifty or more persons, in any street, square or open place, within a distance of half a mile from the place of meeting of the State Legislative Assembly for the purpose or on the pretext of considering, preparing or submitting any petition, complaint, remonstrance, declaration or other address to the Rajpramukh or to the

1. See the Mysore Adaptation of Laws Order, 1953.

State Legislative Assembly for the regulation or alteration of any matters of State :

Provided that nothing in this section shall apply to any meeting, assembly or procession convened or held with the previous permission of the State Government.

(2) If any person contravenes any of the provisions of sub-section (1), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months or with fine or with both.